

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

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1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 23, Page 8, Section 32.087, Line 191, by
2 inserting after all of said line the following:

3 "64.196. 1. After August 28, 2001, any county seeking to adopt a building code in a manner
4 set forth in section 64.180 shall, in creating or amending such code, adopt a current, calendar year
5 1999 or later edition, nationally recognized building code, as amended.

6 2. No county building ordinance so adopted shall conflict with liquefied petroleum gas
7 installations governed by section 323.020."; and
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9 Further amend said bill, Page 77, Section 302.525, Line 60, by inserting after all of said line the
10 following:

11 "323.100. The director of the department of agriculture shall annually inspect and test all
12 liquid meters used for the measurement and retail sale of liquefied petroleum gas and shall condemn
13 all meters which are found to be inaccurate. All meters shall meet the tolerances and specifications
14 of the National Institute of Standards and Technology Handbook 44, 1994 edition and supplements
15 thereto. It is unlawful to use a meter for retail measurement and sale which has been condemned.
16 All condemned meters shall be conspicuously marked "inaccurate", and the mark shall not be
17 removed or defaced except upon authorization of the director of the department of agriculture or his
18 authorized representative. It is the duty of each person owning or in possession of a meter to pay to
19 the director of the department of agriculture at the time of each test a testing fee of ten dollars, except
20 that the testing fee herein provided for shall not be applied more than once in a calendar year to each
21 meter tested. As of January 1, 2014, the testing fee shall be forty dollars per meter. As of January 1,
22 2015, and each year thereafter, the director shall ascertain the total expenses for administering this
23 section and shall set the testing fee per meter at a rate to cover the expenses for the ensuing year,
24 except that the testing fee shall not exceed one hundred twenty dollars per meter."; and
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26 Further amend said bill, Page 87, Section 348.274, Line 140, by inserting after all of said line the
27 following:

28 "413.225. 1. There is established a fee for registration, inspection and calibration services
29 performed by the division of weights and measures. The fees are due at the time the service is
30 rendered and shall be paid to the director by the person receiving the service. The director shall
31 collect fees according to the following schedule and shall deposit them with the state treasurer into
32 general revenue for the use of the state of Missouri:

33 (1) From August 28, 1994, until the next January first, laboratory fees for metrology
34 calibrations shall be at the rate of twenty-five dollars per hour for tolerance testing and thirty-five
35 dollars per hour for precision calibration. Time periods over one hour shall be computed to the
36 nearest one-quarter (1/4) hour. On the first day of January, 1995, and each year thereafter, the
37 director of agriculture shall ascertain the total receipts and expenses for the metrology calibrations

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1 during the preceding year and shall fix a fee schedule for the ensuing year at a rate per hour [which
2 shall not exceed sixty dollars per hour for either method but shall not be less than twenty-five dollars
3 per hour] for tolerance testing and [thirty-five dollars per hour] for precision calibration, as will yield
4 revenue not more than the total cost of operating the metrology laboratory during the ensuing year;

5 (2) From August 28, 1994, until the next January first, all scale test fees shall be charged as
6 follows:

7 (a) Small scales shall be five dollars for each counter scale, ten dollars for platform scales up
8 to one thousand-pound capacity, and twenty dollars for each platform scale over one thousand-pound
9 capacity;

10 (b) Vehicle scales shall be fifty dollars each for the initial test and seventy-five dollars for
11 each subsequent test within the same calendar year;

12 (c) Livestock scales shall be seventy-five dollars each for the initial test, and one hundred
13 dollars for each subsequent test within the same calendar year;

14 (d) Hopper scales with a capacity of one thousand pounds or less shall be ten dollars each;
15 for each hopper scale with a capacity of more than one thousand pounds up to and including two
16 thousand pounds, the fee shall be twenty dollars; for each hopper scale with a capacity of more than
17 two thousand pounds up to and including ten thousand pounds, the fee shall be fifty dollars; and for
18 those hopper scales with a capacity of more than ten thousand pounds, the test fee shall be
19 seventy-five dollars each;

20 (e) Railroad scales shall be fifty dollars each;

21 (f) Monorail scales shall be twenty-five dollars each for the initial test and fifty dollars for
22 each subsequent test in the same calendar year;

23 (g) Participation in on-site field evaluations of devices for National Type Evaluation
24 Program certification and all tests of in-motion scales including but not limited to vehicle, railroad
25 and belt conveyor scales will be charged at the rate of thirty dollars per hour, plus mileage from the
26 inspector's official domicile to and from the inspection site. The time shall begin when the state
27 inspector performing the inspection arrives at the site to be inspected and shall end when the final
28 report is signed by the owner/operator and the inspector departs;

29 (3) From August 28, 1994, until the next January first, certification of taximeters shall be
30 five dollars per meter; timing devices, five dollars per device; fabric-measuring devices, wire- and
31 cordage-measuring devices, five dollars per device; milk for quantity determination, twenty-five
32 dollars per plant inspected;

33 (4) From August 28, 1994, until the next January first, certification of vehicle tank meters
34 shall be twenty-five dollars each for the initial test and fifty dollars for each subsequent test in the
35 same calendar year;

36 (5) Every person shall register each location of such person's place of business where devices
37 or instruments are used to ascertain the moisture content of grains and seeds offered for sale,
38 processing or storage in this state with the director and shall pay a registration fee of ten dollars for
39 each location so registered and a fee of five dollars for each additional device or instrument at such
40 location. Thereafter, by January thirty-first of each year, each person who is required to register
41 pursuant to this subdivision shall pay an annual fee of ten dollars for each location so registered and
42 an additional five dollars for each additional machine at each location. The fee on newly purchased
43 devices shall be paid within thirty days after the date of purchase. Application for registration of a
44 place of business shall be made on forms provided by the director and shall require information
45 concerning the make, model and serial number of the device and such other information as the
46 director shall deem necessary. Provided, however, this subsection shall not apply to
47 moisture-measuring devices used exclusively for the purpose of obtaining information necessary to
48 manufacturing processes involving plant products. In addition to fees required by this subdivision, a

1 fee of ten dollars shall be charged for each device subject to retest.

2 2. On the first day of January, 1995, and each year thereafter, the director of agriculture shall
3 ascertain the total receipts and expenses for the testing of weighing and measuring devices referred
4 to in subdivisions (2), (3), (4) and (5) of subsection 1 of this section and shall fix the fees or rate per
5 hour for such weighing and measuring devices to derive revenue not more than the total cost of the
6 operation, but such fees shall not be fixed in amounts less than the amounts contained in subdivisions
7 (2), (3), (4) and (5) of subsection 1 of this section.

8 3. Except as indicated in paragraphs (b), (c), and (f) of subdivision (2) and subdivisions (4)
9 and (5) of subsection 1, retests for any device within the same calendar year will be charged at the
10 same rate as the initial test. Devices being retested in the same calendar year as a result of rejection
11 and repair are exempt from the requirements of this subsection.

12 4. All device inspection fees shall be paid within thirty days of the issuance of the original
13 invoice. Any fee not paid within ninety days after the date of the original invoice will be cause for
14 the director to deem the device as incorrect and it may be condemned and taken out of service, and
15 may be seized by the director until all fees are paid.

16 5. No fee provided for by this section shall be required of any person owning or operating a
17 moisture-measuring device or instrument who uses such device or instrument solely in agricultural
18 or horticultural operations on such person's own land, and not in performing services, whether with
19 or without compensation, for another person."; and
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21 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
22 accordingly.